## REMARKS

Claims 16-39 are pending. Claims 16-17, 22 and 26 are amended as suggested by the Examiner. Applicant thanks the Examiner for pointing out these informalities.

The present application is a divisional of a divisional, and is entitled to a filing date of serial no. 09/375,610, filed Aug. 17, 1999. Accordingly, the cited reference to Wang does not constitute prior art and withdrawal of the rejection is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner has any questions or would like to speak to Applicants' representative, the Examiner is encouraged to call Applicants' attorney at the number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

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